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#### I. INTRODUCTION

From 26 February 1944 until 4 February 1945, I was stationed with the U. S. Army on Horn Island, Mississippi, and decided to observe and record the animals and plants existing there. At the time, it seemed that little attention had been devoted to the wildlife of this island, but eventually it became apparent that some studies had been made. However, many of the observations have not been published and many of the records of the flora and fauna living on and around the island are scattered and unavailable. The most outstanding papers include those of Lloyd and Tracy (1901), Lowe (1921), and Pessin and Burleigh (1941). Cook (1942, 1943 a and b) described several of the animals observed. Smith and List (1955) recorded a number of amphibians and reptiles which were collected on Horn Island.

Since 1945 more attention has been paid to this subject. Kopman (1946) enlightened the public regarding the seasonal activity of the animals and changing conditions in the Mississippi Sound region in his delightful "Wild Acres," a book of the Gulf Coast country. From 1940 on many scientists and students of the Gulf Coast Research Laboratory visited Horn Island, but still comparatively little has been published. Rings and Richmond (1953) presented a brief survey on the mosquitoes collected by them during 1944 and 1945; the species listed by them, together with two additional ones, are included in this paper.

The animals and plants actually collected or observed on Horn Island are listed in Part IV. Besides those collected by myself, species reported by other investigators are included. Longer study and more intensive collecting would doubtless result in many additions to the fauna and flora as known at present.

This study was not sponsored by any organization, and the expense and time devoted to it were contributed chiefly by myself. However, I was in the service of the U. S. Army during the first year of the study, and subsequently Dr. Gordon Gunter, director of the Gulf Coast Research Laboratory at Ocean Springs, Mississippi, granted me the privilege of living and working there, as an honorary member of the staff. Doctor Gunter also reviewed this contribution and gave me some helpful suggestions. Finally, many facilities at the U. S. National Museum and at the Academy of Natural Sciences at Philadelphia were placed at my disposal. Records of many of the more primitive invertebrates were taken from a manuscript check-list of the marine fauna of Mississippi Sound which has been maintained at the Gulf Coast Research Laboratory since 1950. Such specimens are in a reference collection at the Laboratory. The species on this list reported from Horn Island or vicinity were kindly checked for me by Dr. H. J. Bennett, Mrs. Clara LeGear of the Library of Congress was helpful in locating important maps.

I am greatly indebted to the specialists named below for assistance in the identification of species in the following groups: Mollusca (R. Tucker Abbott and Donald R. Moore); Pisces (Henry W. Fowler and J. Y. Christmas); Aves (T. D. Burleigh and John R. Walther); and Arthropoda (W. H. Anderson, R. H. Arnett, P. D. Ashlock, H. S. Barber, R. E. Blackwelder, L. L. Buchanan, W. D. Burks, J. S. Caldwell, H. W. Capps, O. L. Cartwright, E. A. Chapin, J. F. G. Clark, R.

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The insects sent to the National Museum were deposited in its collection or, if not of major interest, returned to me. Most of the specimens that were returned were given to the University of Massachusetts or to Cornell University. The Tipulidae were identified by Charles P. Alexander, and the specimens are in his private collection at Cranefly Haven, Amherst, Massachusetts. A number of Coleoptera were sent to Henry Dietrich and were deposited in the Cornell University insect collection. The Hydrophilidae, Dytiscidae, Haliplidae, and Gyrinidae were determined by Paul J. Spangler of the U. S. National Museum or myself and given to the National Museum. The arrangement of the Lepidoptera is in keeping with the opinion of Mr. Bryant Mather of Jackson, Mississippi. The mollusks and three fish, identified by Abbolt and Fowler, respectively, were deposited at the Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia. Fred Aldrich, formerly assistant curator of Limnology at the Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia, was helpful in the naming of the species in his particular field.

The plants were identified by Philip A. Munz of Claremont, California, R. B. Channell of Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee and myself. Most of the plants were placed in the Bailey Hortorium where Doctor Munz was the assistant curator at the time material was sent to him for identification. My appreciation is extended to C. E. Woods, Jr., of the Gray Herbarium at Harvard University, for his courtesy in allowing the use of his tentative classification of plants, and to G. W. Johnston, professor of botany, and Sidney McDaniels, of State College, Mississippi, for permission to examine the Lowe Collection.

#### II. DESCRIPTION OF THE ISLAND

Lloyd and Tracy (1901), Pessin and Burleigh (1941, 1944), Rings and Richmond (1953), and Moore (1961) contributed information regarding the location, size, soil types, climate, ecology, fauna, and flora of the insular group whose components are Dauphin, Petit Bois, Horn, Ship, and Cat Island. They separate the Mississippi Sound from the Gulf of Mexico. The Sound is about eighty miles long by ten miles wide. Three rivers, (the Pearl to the west, the Pascagoula and the Alabama to the east) supply fresh water to the Sound, thus diluting the salt water which flows in between the barrier islands from the Gulf. So, as Priddy et al. (1955) state, "the Sound is a gigantic mixing bowl for animal and plant life." It has been assumed by geologists that these islands were formerly a part of the mainland, and that the present water areas were formed by a sinking of the land (McGee 1891). However, others believe that the islands were built up some five or six thousand years ago after the sea level became stabilized at or near its present height (Moore 1961).

This paper primarily concerns only Horn Island, although the barrier islands have a great deal in common and possess many structural characteristics and wildlife species which are fundamentally the same. Lloyd and Tracy did not deal specifically with Horn Island, but many of their remarks are worth noting. Figures 1 through 3 show the relation of these islands to the mainland and to each other, a detailed drawing of Horn Island itself, and the area assigned as a refuge of the Fish and Wildlife Service.

Horn Island is approximately thirteen miles in length and varies from one-fourth to three-fourths of a mile in width. Both ends gradually taper to sandy points. These points are practically devoid of plants. Figures 4-9, inclusive, show characteristic areas of the island's shoreline. The terrain in general is low and sandy except for the longitudinal central portion, which is slightly higher in elevation and covered irregularly by small groves of slash pine (Pinus Elliottii Engelm). Figure 10 is a photograph of a young slash pine. Some of these pines are at least 200 years old. Other elevated areas are evidently due to the formation of sand dunes, which in some areas reach an altitude of 30 to 40 feet, and even cover the live oaks and pines nearly to their tops (figs. 21 and 22). Several large lagoons, ponds, and swamps (figs. 2, 12, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 25) are present; the former two types of water areas are usually surrounded by marshes. Narrow-leaved cattails occur in several of the swamp-lands. (figs. 2, 13, and 20).

The climate is mild with a mean temperature of 52.9° F. in winter, and 80.7° in summer (Pessin and Burleigh 1941). However, in the fall and winter, it can be very chilly, especially when a strong westerly or northwesterly breeze is blowing, and the summer months can be very hot in the absence of winds.

The annual rainfall varies from approximately 50 to 70 inches with a mean of 58 inches (Pessin and Burleigh 1941). One heavy rainstorm in the summer of 1944 brought an exceptional downfall of 13.5 inches from midnight to 11:30 A. M. Figures 23 and 24 show an area before and after a heavy rain. The prevailing winds are southerly with occasional periods of northerly winds. August and September are the months when hurricanes are wont to arrive in the Gulf from the Caribbean Sea.

According to observations conducted by Humm and Caylor (1957) in their study of summer marine flora, the temperature in the Sound varies from 28° to 32° C. between June 1 and September 1. It is naturally higher in shallow water and slightly lower along the bottom. They state that there is considerable stratification even in shallow water and that it is therefore difficult to present precise temperature data. The salinity in the Sound was 20 to 32°/00, differing from that in the Gulf, which has a salinity of 34,88 to 36.19°/00 (Leipper 1954). Moore (1961) gave salinities taken monthly from December 1956 to June 1957 at three stations across the Sound from the Bay of Biloxi to Dog Keys Pass. The mean salinity during this period, including both surface and bottom, was 22.2 per mille. The mean water temperature at the same stations was 19.7° C. The mean range of the tide in the Sound is 1.9 feet.

Pessin and Burleigh (1941) consider four soil types to be characteristic of the island: dune sand, tidal marsh, beach sand, and "pine

timber." Along the south (Gulf) and north (Sound) coasts, dune and beach sands form the principal soils. Lloyd and Tracy (1901) call Horn Island a sand island as contrasted with a muck marsh or mud lump island. The origin of the underlying soil is probably due to the same causes as that of a muck marsh, but it is now covered for the most part by sand. Such muck or clay originated from the Mississippi and Pearl Rivers and doubtless also from the Pascagoula and Alabama Rivers. The bottoms of the lagoons are mucky. In the interior of the Island there are many depressions, some of which are inhabited by dune plants and others by marsh vegetation. In both of these areas, fine sand is present. This type of soil consists of fine, dark gray sand covering white moist sand, which is only a few centimeters deep. In some places the elevation is so low that the soil is constantly wet and forms sand marshes, while in other places the surfaces are raised from one to three meters or more.

All of the offshore islands are moving to the northwest in the direction of the prevailing winds. During the equinoctial storms of 1960, Horn Island was shortened by about one-half of a mile on the east, whereas the west end increased about one-quarter of a mile. The acreage of the Island was estimated to be approximately 3700 acres in 1956. This is a loss of about 300 acres since 1944.

The greatest variety of flora is found on the larger islands, such as Horn, since they have the greatest variety of soil and variation in the elevation. Penfound and O'Neill (1934), in their treatment of the vegetation of Cat Island, contribute much information concerning the physiography of the islands. Priddy et al. (1955) discuss the sediments of the Sound and shore waters.

#### III. HISTORICAL DATA

A "Historical Sketch of the Explorations in the Gulf of Mexico" was prepared by Paul S. Galtsoff (1954). His paper covers the explorations of Europeans (principally Spanish, French, Portuguese and English. Eleven maps are reproduced, beginning with a portion of a world map by Johannes Ruysch from Ptolemy's geography of 1507-1508. D'Anville's Map of Louisiana, drawn in 1732, is not published in Galtsoff's paper; however, fig. 1-B of this paper presents a portion of it. A 1731 French chart of the Islands of America and adjacent countries is included in Cumming's "Southeast in Early Maps" (1958). The barrier islands are not depicted. Cumming also shows an anonymous map of the northern Gulf coast including Florida to Mississippi and westward. This was copied from a 1544 manuscript by DeSoto, and indicates the territory over which he travelled from Florida to the Mississippi River.

Presumably the first map, summarizing the discoveries in the "western ocean" and showing the Gulf of Mexico, was drawn about 1500 by Juan de la Cosa, the companion and pilot of Christopher Columbus. Cabeza de Vaca, a companion of Panfilo de Narváez, found refuge on a small island, after Narváez had perished in a 1528 storm. This island, 5 leagues long and 2 leagues wide, he names Isla de Malhada. According to Galtsoff (1954), this may have been Horn Island.

Amerigo Vespucci in 1497 is usually credited with being the first European explorer to sail along the coast of America including the Gulf, but this story has been questioned. Bremer in 1940 advanced the theory that Gasper Corte Viall should have the credit, since he spread the news of the existence of a new continent on his return to Portugal just prior to 1500. He cited an area on the northern coast of the Gulf as a landing place of some Portuguese sailors.

Considerable search has revealed comparatively little information concerning the part man played in the early history of Horn Island. This is not the case with several of the neighboring islands, such as Dauphin, Ship, and Cat Islands. A temple with a perpetual flame was common to many Indian tribes of the lower Mississippi River and Rayford (1956) reports that Indians had such a temple on Dauphin. In later years pirates evidently frequented this area as well as the entire Sound or Lake as it was then called. Little mention is made of Petit Bois, called Petty Boy by the residents, except as to its topography. The only remarks by Rayford concerning Horn refer to a time when the Battleship Mississippi stood off Pascagoula in "1906," not in the Sound but in the Gulf, and a few words relative to the 1906 hurricane. The Mississippi drew 22 feet and since Horn Island Pass was only 20 feet deep, the battleship could not enter the Sound. Lee Bosarge, a well-known fisherman, was at Horn Island when the first evidences of the 1906 hurricane became visible, and as it was approaching rapidly, Bosarge decided to make for Pascagoula. However, he thought of Nelson, the lighthouse keeper, and went to the Horn Island Light, located in the Gulf near the east end of the island. Unable to persuade Nelson to leave the Light, he hurriedly set out for the mainland and barely made it before the storm. Nelson, his wife, and daughter were lost and the entire lighthouse was blown away. The Light was replaced later at a spot east of Horn and north of Petit Bois.

The earliest information concerning the presence of humans on the islands, with the exception of the remarks given in the previous paragraphs, stems from two excellent publications written by C. E. Cain (1953 and 1954): "Four Centuries on the Pascagoula," and "Flags Over Mississippi." Cain does not write about Horn Island, but he prefaces the more recent knowledge of this area by a chronological outline of the activities of the Pascagoula River country. In 1699, a French-Canadian by the name of Pierre le Moyne d'Iberville, who had sailed from France on September 28, 1698, broke ground on April 8, 1699 for the construction of Fort Maurepas at Old Biloxi (Ocean Springs). On May 3, 1699, Iberville sailed for France but returned later. His brother, Sieur Bienville, was left as King's Lieutenant.

Rowland (1925) states that Bienville with five men explored the Pascagoula River and Bay in two bark canoes. They discovered Massacre Island (Dauphin) which he named Dolphin because a dead dolphin had been found on the beach. From there he turned west and found another island south of Round Island. This island he called Horn, owing to the fact that one of his men had lost a powder horn there. They paddled farther west to Ship Island and finally returned to Fort Maurepas. Bienville won the decoration of the Cross of St. Louis and a royal patent granting him Horn Island as a reward for the eminent services which he had rendered the colony.

McWilliams (1953) in a map opposite page 236 of his book, shows Horn Island as Isle Bienville. Guillaume Delisle was the probable cartographer in 1718 (fig. 1-A). Isle Bienville was evidently used from 1717, when Bienville was granted Horn Island, until sometime later. Devin in 1719 and Serigny in 1720 still called the Island, Bienville, but D'Anville in 1732 (fig. 1-B) uses Horn. It should be noted that Petit Bois is not shown on these early maps and was possibly part of Dauphin at the time.

From 1732 until 1845, no definite data appears to be available. Many old timers and residents of Pascagoula, Gautier, Ocean Springs, Biloxi and Gulfport were interviewed, but with no avail. Doubtless, many folk of different nations (Spain, France, England, Portugal, etc.) roamed the islands, the Sound and the Gulf, but most of Horn Island history appears to have been lost. It seems logical to suppose that the Island was in a wild state and not conducive to habitation. In comparison to the other islands, it was quite a trip from the mainland. Records do not indicate that any wild animals especially abounded there, although it evidently teemed with alligators, cottonmouths, and perhaps copperheads. Since it is generally believed that Indians did not like to travel long distances on water, the Biloxis, Pascagoulas and Moctobis, reportedly about 1,000 strong, stayed close to the mainland.

Excellent fishing and shrimping in the Sound lured many to this area, and some folk may have strayed off the beaten path or been forced to land on Horn. Buttons of Union Army uniforms have been found in the sand and some military men were buried there at the time of the Civil War. It would seem logical that explorers besides Bienville or scientists may have been led to investigate the island in the old days. However, they might have been frightened off by men of ill repute, hiding and attempting to get a living from this wilderness. According to Harper (1958), William Bartram passed by Horn Island when traversing the Sound in "1777" (=1775) but did not visit it.

Horn Island was and still is frequently buffeted by severe storms, tidal waves, and hurricanes. The most important storms are equinoctial. These and other notable climatic disturbances occurred in 1717, 1721, 1723, 1733, 1740, 1746, 1772, 1813, 1817, 1819, 1832, 1833, 1852, 1860, 1893, 1906, 1916, 1947 and 1960. Occasional water spouts have been observed in both the Gulf and the Sound.

A family named Waters lived on Horn Island from 1845 to about 1920, and raised cattle. I interviewed their descendants in Pascagoula. Their house was not far from the middle of the Island and near the Sound. The severe hurricane of 1906, during which Horn Island was nearly covered by water destroyed the Waters' records and about one-half of the cattle. Only a pillar, bricks, and parts of a stove reveal where the Waters' house once stood just north of Pond E (fig. 2.). In 1945, a dilapidated building was still standing to the south of the west end of Lagoon C (fig. 2). This was used as a clubhouse for sportsmen who fished and hunted.

During the 19th century some pines were chipped for resin, and it was distilled on the Island for turpentine. Lumber (mostly square timber, 16 x 16 inches), cut at Moss Point and Pascagoula was held off Horn in the Sound until ships could pick it up. At times, as many as 20 to 30 rafts were anchored along the Sound side, awaiting the arrival of sail-boats or small two-masted schooners from New Orleans

or Mobile. No lumber was cut on the island except by the Waters for personal use. All evidence indicates that during historic times Horn Island has been isolated and populated little or not at all. It has been uninhabited since the Army left in 1945.

For a period in the last two centuries, some quantity of sand was hauled to New Orleans by the Jahncke Dredge Company and others for the manufacturing of glass and for water purification. Such operation was finally prohibited by the Bureau of Land Management. It is reported that a New Orleans leather company skinned quite a sizeable number of alligators in 1923, and used the hides for various leather goods. A farmer, L. S. Feldier, apparently owned some cattle on Horn just previous to World War II.

The Department of the Army acquired Horn Island on March 23, 1943, and building construction was begun June 16, 1943. The principal buildings were erected primarily in the administration, corral and laboratory areas (fig. 2). The laboratories were located not far from the Sound about 8 miles west of the administration area. To solve transportation problems, a company of Seabees built a narrow-gauge railroad from the corral to the laboratory area.

Approximately 2,027 acres were leased from 26 private individuals. The remaining 1,969 acres were acquired on a use permit from the Department of Interior on February 1, 1944. All live-stock and domestic animals, except those used in experimentation, were removed when the Army took over. Some hogs were still present in the spring of 1944 but these were removed soon thereafter. It is reported that hogs are still on the island and that their tracks have been seen, but I have not observed any. The unit was declared excess on August 13, 1945, and all building structures and materials not removed have long since fallen down.

Public Land Order No. 1636 was issued in October 1958, making part of Horn Island a wildlife refuge (fig. 3). The Fish and Wildlife Service of the U. S. Department of the Interior posted their acreage during 1960 to keep away any individuals who might encroach on their property. The "Gulf National Wildlife Refuges" office controls the Horn Island refuge, and John R. Walther with an office at Cadet Point, Biloxi, Mississippi, is in charge.

There is still some question as to the ownership of much of the private land, and neither the federal nor state governments have as yet come up with the answer. To the biologist or conservationist, it would be distinctly regrettable if "development" of the area were to be carried out. The entire island should be made a wildlife refuge.

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#### IV. ANIMAL AND PLANT LISTS

The species listed here include only those animals and plants which were actually collected on or in the waters around Horn Island. This list, with the exception of the species reported by others, was obtained from collections made by me in 1944, 1945, and 1959-'61, inclusive. The species recorded by other investigators are credited to them at the end of the lists of the various Phyla or Classes. The methods by which the insects were collected have been described by Rings and Richmond (1953), and the details need not be repeated. A New Jersey light trap was placed at each of the administration, laboratory, and corral areas (fig. 2). Fly traps were

placed in different locations from time to time and baited with miscellaneous materials. One hundred and twenty-nine field trips, exclusive of the fly and light trap collections, were made, principally in 1944, and most of them were devoted to insect collecting. Nevertheless, observations were made regarding other animals as well as plants. Eleven hundred species, 958 animals and 142 plants, are listed in this paper.

Attention should be called to the presence of the imported fire ant. During the summer months, various species of tabanids, sandflies, and stable flies are troublesome to humans. During the war an infestation of bedbugs occurred on the mattress of an officer, and an enlisted man was bitten by an assassinbug (Triatoma sanguisuga sanguisuga (Le C.) ) while sleeping. The bedbugs were doubtless introduced on bedding from the mainland. In the summer of 1944, many small staphylinids, scolytids, chloropids, chronomids, and ceratopogonids were attracted by the barracks' lights, and they entered in droves through the screens. Aerosol bombs satisfactorily controlled them. An extensive migration of monarch butterflies was observed at the extreme west end of the island on November 7, 1944. Low bushes, herbaceous plants, and debris were completely covered by these butterflies.

No list of Horn Island insects has ever been published with the exception of the mosquitoes (Rings and Richmond, 1953). Gunter and Christmas (1959) collected a corixid, Irichocorixa verticalis (Fieber), from offshore plankton in the Gulf and showed that it is a normal component of the plankton. Spilman (1959) included a tenebrionid, Leichenum canaliculatum variegatum (Klug), in his distributional list of Leichenum species of the United States. Froeschner (1960) described a new species of Cydnidae, and Steyskal (1960), a new species of Sciomyzidae. Wilson (1958) collected Mesovelia mulsanti bisignata Jaczewski in brackish pools. All of these species were collected by me in 1944.

The fish list contains many species caught from the shore by myself or other personnel stationed on the island during World War II. J. Y. Christmas' list of fishes, which were seined in the environs of the island, supplements my personal records. A mosquito fish, Gambusia affinis (Baird and Girard), was caught by hand in a pool, which was created by a spouting artesian well situated just to the west of the administration area. Many fresh or brackish-water fishes are present in the lagoons and ponds, but no special study has been devoted to them.

Cottonmouths (fig. 27) abound on the island, and a few alligators still frequent the swamps and lagoons. A coachwhip snake was killed on September 20, 1944, by one of the enlisted men. It measured 45½ inches in length. I was interested to observe on September 6, 1944, a chameleon (Anolis corolinensis Voigt) trying to capture some living flies in stoppered vials on a laboratory bench.

On January 29, 1959, a King Rail calmly bathed almost at my feet in a pool formed by a spouting artesian well just east of the laboratory area. The bird approached the pool without fear, took its bath, and left without paying the slightest attention to me.

Lincoln (1935, 1950), Hildebrand (1937), Lowery (1945, 1946), Pessin and Burleigh (1941), (Burleigh (1944), Bullis and Lincoln (1952),

Lowery and Newman (1954), and Bullis (1954) all contributed to the knowledge of the birds that frequent the Sound region. Several species of shore birds nest on a sandy area just north of the bathing beach (figs. 2 and 15).

There is a remarkable parallelism of the Horn Island plants with the "pine barren" flora of coastal New Jersey, and with other eastern areas of the Coastal Plain. Pessin and Burleigh (1941) group the plants into marsh and wet-land plants, dry-land plants, lianas, shrubs, trees, and beach plants. The summer marine flora of the Sound was studied and reported on by Humm and Caylor (1957), and the sea grasses of the northern Gulf coast were reported on by Humm (1956). Algae, mosses, liverworts, and ferns were not collected during my study. Pink sundew is especially prevalent in a low region about two miles east of the administration area. Rosemary and groundsel are plants characteristic to the Island (figs. 11 and 26). One species of lichen, Cladonia rangiferina (L.) Weber is abundant on live oaks, yaupons, and myrtles. Dead cypress stumps were present near the east end in 1945, but no live cypress was found on the island. The stumps are now in the Gulf.

Most of the plants collected by Lowe (1921) are to be found in the Mississippi State University Herbarium. Some of the plants, which have been collected by R. B. Channell, are at Vanderbilt University, others are at Mississippi State University. Many of the plants which Delzie Demaree collected are in the Gray Herbarium at Harvard University, at Vanderbilt University, and at Mississippi State University, but could not be readily located.

#### **FAUNA**

#### Phylum PORIFERA — Sponges

Clionidae
Cliona celata Grant Sulphur Sponge
Haliclonidae
Haliclona sp Deadman Fingers
Microcionidae
Microciona prolifera Verrill
Phylum COELENTERATA
Astrangiidae
Astrangia astreiformis Milne Edwards and Haime Stony Star Coral
Campanulariidae
Obelia oxydentata Steckow Double-branching Hydroid
Hormathiidae
Calliactris tricolor (LeSueur) Common Sea Anemone
Pelagidae
Dactylometra quinquecirrha L. Agassiz Sea Nettle
Renillidae
Renilla mulleri KöllikerShort-stemmed Sea Pansy
Rhizostomidae (Order Rhizostomae)
Stomolophus meleagris L. Agassiz
Ulmaridae
Aurellia aurita Lamarck Common White Jelly Fish

Phylum CTENOPHORA — Comb Jellies
Beröidae Beröe ovata Chamisso and Eisenhardt Oval Comb Jelly
Nnemiidae Mnemiopsis mccradyi A. Agassiz Sea Walnut
Phylum NEMERTEA — Ribbon Worms Lineidae
Cerebratulus lacteus (Leidy) Large Ribbon Worm  Micrura leidyi (Verrill) Leidy's Ribbon Worm
Phylum BRYOZOA — Moss Animals
Adeonidae Zoobotryon verticillatum(della Chiaje)
Bugula neritina Linnaeus
Membranipora membranacea Linnaeus Sea Mat
Phylum CHAETOGNATHA — Arrow Worms  Sagittidae
Sagitta hispida Conant Hispid Arrow Worm
Phylum ANNELIDA — Segmented Worms
Arenicola cristata Stimpson Bloodworm
Glyceridae
Glycera dibranchiata Ehlers Proboscis Bloodworm  Nereidae
Nereis pelagica Linnaeus
Sabellariidae Sabellaria floridensis Hartman
Nerine agilis Verrill
Remainder taken from a Gulf Coast Research Laboratory list.
Phylum MOLLUSCA
Class Pelecypoda — The Clams
Arcidae — Ark Shells  2 Anadara brasiliana (Lamarck) Incongruous Ark Andara ovalis (Bruguière) Blood Ark  1 Anadara transversa (Say) Transverse Ark Arca zebra Swainson Turkey Wing  1 Noetia ponderosa (Say) Ponderous Ark
Mytilidae — Mussels <sup>4</sup> Lithophaga bisulcata d'Orbigny
Pinnidae - Pen Shells
<sup>4</sup> Atrina seminuda (Lamarck)
Plicatula gibbosa Lamarck

	Lantaridae I ontone
4	Leptonidae — Leptons Kellia suborbicularis (Thomson)
4	Mysella cuneata Verrill & Bush
4	Mysella planulata (Stimpson) Atlantic Flat Lepton
	Pectinidae - Scallops
	Aequipecten gibbus Linnaeus
1	Aequipecten gibbus Linnaeus Calico Scallop Aequipecten irradians concentricus Say Atlantic Bay Scallop
	Anomiidae — Jingle Shells
1	Anomia simplex d'Orbigny
	Ostreidae — Oysters
	Crassostrea virginica (Gmelin)
4	Ostrea equestris Say
	Diplodontidae — Diplodons
2	Diplodontia punctata Say
2	Lucinidae — Lucines
1/3	Lucina amiantus Dall
2	Lucina multilineata Tuomey & Holmes Many-lined Lucina
2	Phacoides radians Conrad
	Cardiidae — Cockles
1	Dinocardium robustum (Solander) Giant Atlantic Cockle
2	Laevicardium laevigatum (Linnaeus)
3	Laevicardium mortoni (Conrad) Morton's Egg Cockle
1	Papyridea soleniformis (Bruguière)
	Trachycardium egmontianum (Shuttleworth) Prickly Cockle
	Veneridae — Venus Clams
4	Anomalocardia cuneimeris (Conrad) Wedge-shaped Venus
2	Callista eucymata Dall Glory-of-the-Seas Venus
1	Chione cancellata (Linnaeus) Cross-barred Venus
2	Chione intapurpurea Conrad Cribrara Venus
4	Chione grus Holmes
	Crossotellidae - Little Heavy Shells
4	Crassinella lunulata ConradLunate Crassinella
	Cuno dolli Vanatta Moore's Cuna
1	Dosinia discus Reeve
	Marcrocallista nimbosa (Solander) Sunray Venus
2	Mercenaria campechiensis (Gmelin) Southern Quahog
4	Parastarte triquetra (Conrad) 3-Sided Parastarte
	Tellinidae — Tellinas
5	Macoma brevifrons Say
2	Strigillo mirobilis Philippi
	Telling alternata Say
	Telling linted Conrad Linen Telling
	Tellina versicolor DeKay
	Semelidae — Semeles and Abras
	Abra dequalis (Say)
	Abro lioco Dall
	Semele nuculoides Conrad
,	Donacidae — Wedge Shell
	Danay about d'Orbiany
	Ponox obesus d'Orbigny Fat Wedge Clam Donox variabilis Say Coquina Shell

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## Mactridae - Surf Clams

Macridae — Suit Clams	
<ul> <li>Labiosa plicatella (Lamarck)</li> <li>Mactra fragilis Gmelin</li> <li>Mulinia lateralis (Say)</li> <li>Spisula solidissima Dillwyn</li> <li>Spisula Solidissima Dillwyn</li> </ul>	ra ım
Solenidae — Razor Clams Ensis minor Dall	m
Lyonsiidae — Lyonsias	
<sup>4</sup> Lyonsia floridana Conrad	si <b>a</b>
Teredo navalis Linnaeus	rm
Class Pteropoda	
Aplysidae – Sea-hares	
<sup>4</sup> Aplysia willcoxi Heilprin	
<sup>4</sup> Armina tigrina Rafinesque Tiger Nudibran	ch
Cavoliniidae — Pteropods  4 Creseis acicula Rang Straight Needle Pterop	
	ou
Class Gastropoda — The Snails (Univalves)  Littorinidae — Periwinkles	
Littorina irrorata Say	cle
Hydrobidae — Littoridinas	
4 Littoridina Sp Littoridina (undescribe	ed)
Vitrinellidae - Vitrinellids	
* Meioceras nitidum Stimpson Eel Grass Vitrinel	lid
4 Solariorbis mooreana Vanatta	lla
Triphoridae - Triphorids	
4 Triphora nigrocincta C. B. Adams Black-circled Tripho	ra
* Finella dubia d'Orbigny Dubious Fine	ila
Epitonidae — Epitonids	
4 Epitonium rupiculum (Kurtz)	'eg
Fissurellidae - Keyhole Limpets	,
4 Diodora cayenensis (Lamarck) Little or Cayenne Keyhole Limi 4 Lucapinella limatula Reeve File Fleshy Limi	pet pet
Rissoinidae — Rissoinas	
4 Rissoina chesneli Michaud	ina
Calyptraeidae — Boat Shells	
4 Crepidula convexa Say	en
Crepidula fornicata Linnaeus Common Atlantic Slipper-sh Crepidula plana Say Eastern White Slipper-sh	All
	CII
Terebridae - Augur Shells	
4 Terebra dislocata Say	gur
4 Terebra salleana Deshayes	gur
Volutidae - Volutes	
4 Scaphella junonia Shaw Juno	nia
Cancellariidae — Nutmegs	
<sup>4</sup> Cancellaria reticulata Linnaeus	reg
Olividae — Olives	
4 Oliva sayana Ravenel Lettered Ol	ive
4 Olivella mutica (Say) Little Ol	ive

Naticidae — Moon Shells
Natica pusilla Say Miniature Natica Polinices duplicatus (Say) Shark Eye, Sand-color Snail  Acteonidae — Small Bubble Shells
4 Haminoea antillarum d'Orbigny
Cassidae — Helmet Shells
Phalium granulatum (Born)
Columbellidae - Dove Shells
4 Anachis avara Say
4 Mitrella lunata (Say) Lunar Columbella
Pyramidellidae — Odostomes
4 Odostomia seminuda (C. B. Adams) Half-smooth Odostome
Cerithiidae - Horn Shells
4 Bittium varium Pfeiffer Variable Bittium 5 Seila adamsi H. E. Lea Adams Miniature Cerith
Muricidae — Rock Shells
4 Murex fulvescens Sowerby
<sup>1</sup> Thais haemastoma (Linnaeus) Oyster Drill
Melongenidae – Large Whelks
Busycon perversum (Linnaeus) Perverse Whelk  Busycon spiratum (Lamarck) Pear Whelk
Buccinidae — Whelks
<sup>2</sup> Cantharus cancellarius Conrad Cancellate Cantharus
Fasciolariidae — Fasciolarids
4 Fasciolaria hunteria (G. Perry) Banded Tulip
Nassariidae — Mud Whelks
4 Nassarius acutus (Say) Pointed Basket Shell Nassarius vibex (Say) Common Eastern Nassa  Ellohiidae — Far Spails
Ellobiidae — Ear Snails  4 Melampus bidentatus Say Salt Marsh Snail
Viviparidae — Swamp Snails
Viviparus sp. Swamp Snail Oleacinidae — Flesh-eating Land Snails
Euglandina rosea (Ferrusac) Rosy Euglandina
Class Cephalopoda — Cuttlefishes Octopodidae — Octopuscs
Octopus vulgaris Lamarck Octopus
<sup>1</sup> Species collected by both Richmond, 1944-1960, and C. F. Baker.
<sup>2</sup> Other species collected by C. F. Baker prior to 1902.
NOTE: Specimens collected by C. F. Baker deposited in the Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia, Penna. in 1902. These were listed by E. G. Vanatta (1903).
<sup>3</sup> Species collected by Rosso, 1951.

Unnumbered species collected by Richmond (1944-1961) deposited in the Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia.

<sup>4</sup> Species listed by Moore, 1960, in addition to the other collections.

### Phylum ARTHROPODA — Segmented Animals

## Class Merostomata — Horseshoe Crabs

# Order Xiphosura

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	Limuidae
1	Limulus polyphemus Linnaeus Horseshoe Crab
	Class Crustacea — Crustaceans
	Subclass Branchiopoda
	Branchiopodidae
1	Branchipus sp Fairy Shrimp
	Subclass Ostracoda
	Lynceidae
1	Lynceidae Eurycerus lamellatus (Muller)
	Subclass Copepoda
	Acartiidae
	Acartia tonsa Dana Common Copepod
	Subclass Cirripedia
	Balanidae
	Balanus tintinnabulum Linnaeus Acorn Barnacle
1	Balanus eburneus Gould Ivory Barnacle
1	Chelonibia patula (Rangoni) Crab Barnacle
	Lepadidae
	Octolosmis mülleri (Coker) Goose-neck Barnacle
	Subclass Malacostra
	Suborder Isopoda
	Oniscidae
1	Cylisticus convexus (DeGeer) Convex Sowbug
	Suborder Amphipoda
	Talitridae
1	Orchestia platensis Krøyer Common Sandflea Talorchestia longicornis (Say) Long-horned Sandflea
	Gammaridae
1	Gammarus locusta (Linnaeus) Seaweed Hopper
	Pontoporeiidae Haustorius sp
	Order Stomatopoda
	Squilla empusa Say King Shrimp, Mantis Shrimp
	Order Decapoda
	Portunidae
	Arenaeus cribrarius (Lamarck)

Hippidae
Emerita portoricensis Schmitt Puerto Rican Mole Crab  1 Emerita talpoida Say Baitbug, Sandbug Euceramus praelongus Stimpson Sandbug
Majidae
Libinia dubia Milne Edwards Long-beaked Spider Crab  Libinia emargomarta Leach Common Spider Crab
Calappidae
Hepatus epheliticus (Linnaeus) Box Crab
Xanthidae Store Grab
Menippe mercenaria (Say) Stone Crab
Ocypodidae  1 Ocypode quadrata (Fab.)
Paguridae
Pagurus annulipes (Stimpson)
Penaeidae
Penaeus aztecus Ives Brown Shrimp, Edible Shrimp Penaeus duorarum Burkenroad Pink Shrimp Penaeus fluviatilis Say White Shrimp, Common Shrimp Sicyonia brevirostris (Stimpson) Rock Shrimp
Chaetopteridae
Petrochirus bahamensis (Herbst.) Large Hermit Crab
Pinnotheridae
Pinnixia chacei Wass
Porcellanidae
Porcellana sayana Leach
Palaemonidae
Leander tenuicornis (Say) Sargassum Shrimp
Class Myriapoda
Subclass Chilopoda
Scolopendridae <sup>1</sup> Scolopendra viridis Say
<sup>1</sup> Class Insecta (Hexapoda) — The Insects Thysanura — Bristletails
Lepismidae Lepisma saccharina Linnaeus
Odonata — Dragonflies, Damselflies
Aeshnidae
Anax junius (Drury)

#### Coenagrionidae

Anomalagrion hastatum (Say) Argia sp.

Ischnura ramburii Selys Ischnura verticalis (Say)

Libellulidae

Erythrodiplax berenice (Drury) Pachydiplax longipennis (Burm.) Erythemis simplicicollis (Say)

Plecoptera — Stoneflies

Genus?

Orthoptera — Grasshoppers, Crickets, Roaches, et al.
Acrididae

Dissosteira carolina (Linnaeus)
Psinidia tenestralis (Serv.)
Scirtetica marmorata picta (Scudd.)
Schistocera americana (Drury)
Trimerotropis citrina Scudd.

Blattidae

Blatella germanica (Linnaeus)
Eurycotis floridana (Walk.)
Parcoblatta sp.
Parcoblatta tulvescens (S. & Z.)
Periplaneta americana (Linnaeus)
Periplaneta brunnea Burm.
Periplaneta fuliginosa (Serv.)
Supella supellectilium (Serv.)

Gryllidae

Acheta sp.
Acheta assimilis (Fab.)
Anaxipha delicatula (Scudd.)
Nemobius sp.

Mantidae

Stagmomantis carolina (Joh.)

Tetrigidae

Tettigidea lateralis (Say)

Tettigoniidae

Concocephalus fasciatus (Deg.)
Conocephalus spartinae (Fox)
Neoconocephalus triops (Linnaeus)
Orchelimum concinnum Scudd.
Scudderia texensis (S. & P.)

Dermaptera — Earwigs

Labiduridae

Labidura riparia (Pallas)

Isoptera — Termites

Kalotermidae

Kalotermes snyderi Light (Winged - S. E. U. S., Antilles)

Rhinotermitidae

Reticulitermes sp.

Corrodentia - Psocids, Booklice

Peripsocidae

Peripsocus sp.

**Psocidae** 

Psocus sp., striatus Walk. or near.

Thysanoptera — Thrips

Thrips sp.

Hemiptera — True Bugs

Anthocoridae

Lasiochilus hirtellus Drake & Harris Orius insidiosus (Say)

Belostomatidae

Belostoma flumineum Say Belostoma testaceum (Leidy) Lethocerus americanus (Leidy)

Cimidae

Cimex lectularius Linnaeus

Coreidae

Leptoglossus phyllopus (Linnaeus)

Corixidae

Trichocorixa verticalis (Fieber)

Cydnidae

Amnestus basidentatus Froeschner (New species 1960) Amnestus pusio Blatchley

Gelastocoridae

Gelastocoris sp.

Gelastocoris oculatus (Fab.)

Lygaeidae

Cymus virescens (Fab.)

Myodocha serripes (Olivier)

Nysius californicus alabamensis Baker

Oedancala crassimana (Fab.)

Oncopeltus fasciatus (Dallas)

Pachybrachius bilobatus (Say)

Pachybrachius vinctus (Say)

Paromius longulus (Dallas)

Mesovelidae

Mesovelia mulsanti bisignata Jaczewski

#### Miridae

Ceratocapsus sp.
Deraeocoris nebulosus (Uhler)
Lygus apicalis Fieber
Pilophorus vanduzee Knight
Polymerus basalis (Reuter)

Nabidae

Nabis capsiformis German

Neididae

Aknisus multispinus (Ashmead)

Ochteridae

Ochterus banksi Barber

Pentatomidae

Asopinae

Alcaeorrhynchus grandis (Dallas)

Pentatominae

Edessa bifida (Say)
Nezara viridula (L.)
Pangaeus bilineatus (Say)
Thyanta calceata (Say)
Thyanta custator (Fab.)

Scutellerinae

Diolcus irroratus (Fab.) Tetyra bipunctata (H. -S.)

Reduviidae

Emesa sp.

Triatoma sanguisuga sanguisuga (Le C.)

Saldidae

Pentacora hirta (Say)

Pentacora sphacelata (Uhler)

Saldula opacula (Zetterstedt)

Homoptera — Cicadas, leafhoppers, aphids, scale-bugs et al.

Cicadellidae

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Balclutha abdominalis (Van D.)

Balclutha neglecta (De L. and Dev.)

Carneocephala flaviceps (Riley)

Chlorotettix viridius Van D.

Deltocephalus flavicosta Stål

Draeculacephala sp.

Graminella nigrifrons (Forbes) — probably fascifrons (Stål)

Graminella villicus (Crumb)

Haldorus australis (De L.)

Macrosteles divisus (Uhler)

Menosoma cincta (O. and B.)

Spangbergiella vulnerata (Uhler)

Cicadidae

Diceroprocta vitripennis Say

Delphacidae

Delphacodes propinqua (Fieber) Euidella weedi (Van D.) Sogata furcifera (Horv.)

Lecanidae

Ceroplastes floridensis Comstock

Neuroptera — Lacewing-flies, antlions, et al. Chrysopidae

Chrysopa sp.

Hemerobiidae

Sympherobius amiculus (Fitch)

Myrmeleontidae

Brachynemurus longicaudus (Burm.) Heoclisis americana (Drury) Myrmeleon crudelis Walter Paranthaclisis sp.

Trichoptera — Caddice-flies

Genus?

Lepidoptera — Butterflies, Moths, Skippers

Suborder Rhopalocera

Superfamily Papilionoidea

Danaidae

Danaus gilippus berenice (Cramer)
Danaus plexippus plexippus (Linnaeus)

Heliconiidae

Agraulis vanillae nigrior Michener

Nymphalidae

Polygonia interrogationis (Fabricius) Precis lavinia coenia (Huebner) Speyeria cybele cybele (Fabricius) Vanessa atalanta (Linnaeus)

**Papilionidae** 

Papilio sp.

Pieridae

Eurema daira daira (Latreille)
Eurema lisa lisa (Boisduval and Le Conte)
Phoebis sennae eubule (Linnaeus)

Suborder Heterocera

Superfamily Sphingoidea

Sphingidae

Enyo lugubris Linnaeus

Superfamily Noctuoidea

**Amatidae** 

Cisseps fulvicollis Huebner Cosmosoma myrodora Dyar Didasys belae Grote Arctiidae

Apantesis radians Walker Cisthene bellicula Dyar Utetheisa bella Linnaeus

Phalaenidae (Noctuidae)

Doryodes sp.
Doryodes bistrialis Geyer
Leucania sp.
Nedra ramosula Guenee
Perigea sp.
Prodenia ornithogalli Guenee
Pseudaletia unipuncta Haworth

Pyralididae (Pyraustidae)

Genus?
Crambus sp.
Dioryctria zimmermani Grote
Hymenia perspectalis Huebner
Loxostege similalis Guenee
Sameodes elealis Walker

Diptera — Flies Agromyzidae

Cerodontha dorsalis (Loew) Liriomyza melampyga (Loew) Liriomyza subpusilla group Tethina sp.

Asilidae

Atomosia sp. Erax sp.

Bibionidae

Philia sp. Philia serotina (Loew) Plecia nearctica Hardy

Bombyliidae

Anthrax sp. Geron sp.

Calliphoridae

Callitroga sp.
Callitroga macellaria (Fab.)
Calliphora vicina R. D.
Calliphora vomitoria (L.)
Lucilia sp.
Lucilia illustris (Meig.)
Phaenicia sp.
Phaenicia cluvia (Walk.)
Phaenicia sericata (Meig.)
Phormia regina (Meig.)

#### Cecidomyiidae

Anarete sp.
Asphondylia sp.
Lestremia sp.
Neolasioptera sp.
Phytophaga sp.

#### Ceratopogonidae

Alluaudomyia bella (Coq.)
Atrichopogon sp.
Bezzia sp.
Culicoides canithorax Hoffman
Culicoides furens (Poey)
Culicoides melleus (Coq.)
Dasyhelea sp.
Forcipomyia sp.
Forcipomyia fuliginosa (Meig.)
Heteromyia sp.
Leptoconops sp.
Monohelea sp.
Stilobezzia sp.

#### Chaoboridae

Chaoborus punctipennis Say Corethrella brakeleyi Coq.

#### Chironomidae

Apedilum elachistus (Townes)
Calopsectra sp.
Coelotanypus tricolor (Loew)
Pelopia sp.
Pentaneura sp.
Pentaneura illinoensis (Mall.)
Pentaneura sp. (monilis group)
Pentaneura monilis (L.)
Polypedilum n. sp. (Townes MS)
Polypedilum sp.
Polypedilum parvum (Townes)
Procladius bellus (Loew)
Tendipes sp.
Tendipes attenuatus (Walker)

#### Chloropidae

Diplotoxa microcera Loew
Hippelates Sp.
Hippelates bicolor Coq.
Hippelates particeps (Beck.)
Hippelates plebejus Loew
Hippelates pusio Loew
Lasiopleura capax (Coq.)
Oscinella Sp.
Oscinella infesta Beck.
Siphonella cinerea Loew
Siphonella parva Adams
Siphonella punctifrons Beck.

#### Culicidae

Aedes sp. Aedes aegypti (L.) Aedes atlanticus D. & K. Aedes atlanticus-tormentor D. & K. Aedes infirmatus D. & K. Aedes mitchellae (Dyar) Aedes sollicitans (Walk.) Aedes taeniorhynchus (Wied.) Aedes vexans (Meig.) Anopheles atropos D. & K. Anophelus bradleyi King Anopheles crucians Wied. Anophelus crucians-bradleyi King Anopheles quadrimaculatus Say Culex sp. Culex apicalis Adams Culex erraticus D. & K. Culex nigripalpus Theob. Culex pilosus (D. & K). Culex quinquefasciatus Say Culex restuans Theob. Culex salinarius Coq. Culiseta inornata (Will.) Mansonia perturbans (Walk.) Psorophora sp. Psorophora ciliata (Fab.) Psorophora confinnis (Lynch-Arribalzaga) Psorophora discolor (Coq.) Psorophora ferox (Humb.) Psorophora howardii (Coq.) Uranotaenia lowii (Theob.) Uranotaenia sapphirina (O. S.)

#### Dolichopodidae

Chrysotus sp.
Gymnopternus sp.
Hydrophorus sp.
Pelastoneurus sp.
Pelastoneurus vagans Loew
Psilopus sp.

#### Drosophilidae

Drosophila sp.
Drosophilia busckii Coq.
Drosophilia guttifera Walker
Drosophilia melanogaster Meig.
Drosophilia repleta Woll.
Leucophenga quadrimaculata (Walk.)

#### Empididae

Syneches sp.
Syneches phthia (Walk.)

**Ephydridae** 

Hydrellia sp.
Notiphila sp.
Notiphila olivacea Cr.
Paralimna decipiens Loew
Polytrichophora conciliata Cr.
Scatella sp.
Scatella stagnalis (Fall)
Zeros n. sp.

Micropezidae

Taeniaptera sp.
Taeniaptera trivittata Macq.

Muscidae

Atherigona orientalis Schin.
Bithoracochaeta leucoprocta (Wd.)
Coenosia ovata Stein
Fannia pusio (Wd.)
Fucellia maritima (Hal.)
Hylemia sp.
Limnophora sp.
Limnophora narona (Walk.)
Lispe albitarsis Stein
Morellia micans (Macq.)
Musca domestica L.
Ophyra aenescens (Wd.)
Phyllogaster sp.
Siphona irritans (L.)
Stomoxys calcitrans (L.)

Mycetophilidae

Leia bivittata Say

Otitidae

Euxesta sp.
Euxesta, nr. latifasciata (Wulp.)
Euxesta notata (Wied.)
Euxesta spoliata Loew

Phoridae

Megaselia sp.

Pipunculidae

Dorilas sp.

**Psychodidae** 

Psychoda sp. Psychoda alternata Say Telmatosocopus albinpunctatus (Will.)

> Rhagionidae (Leptidae) Sarcophagidae

Genus?
Sarcophaga sp.
Sarcophaga bullata Pk.
Sarcophaga derelicta (Walk.)
Sarcophaga rapax Walk.
Sarcophaga sarracenioides Ald.

#### Sciaridae

Sciara sp.

#### Sciomyzidae

Dictya iron Steyskal (New species 1960) Pherbellia nana (Fallen)

#### Sphaeroceridae

Copromyza sp. Leptocera sp. Leptocera fontinalis Fallen

#### Syrphidae

Mesograpia nr. boscii (Macq.) Tubifera sp.

#### Tabanidae

Chrysops sp.
Chrysops atlanticus Pech.
Chrysops flavidus Wied.
Chrysops univitatus Macq.
Tabanus sp.
Tabanus abdominalis Fabr.
Tabanus acutus (Bigot)
Tabanus atratus (Fab.)
Tabanus gladiator Stone
Tabanus lineola Fab.
Tabanus nigrovittatus Macq.
Tabanus quinquevittatus Wied.
Tabanus sparus milleri Whitn.
Tabanus trijunctus Walker

#### Tachinidae

Achaetoneura sp. nr. archippivara (Will.) Eucelatoria rubentis (Coq.) Paradidyma singularis (Townes) Siphophyto floridensis Townes

#### Tephritidae

Trupanea actinobola (Loew) Trupanea vicina (Wulp) Xanthaciura connexionis Benj.

#### Tipulidae

Subfamily Tipulinae

Pales Sp.
Pales suturalis costomarginata (Dietz)
Tipula (Yamatotipula) floridensis Alex.
Tipula (Yamatotipula) ludoviciana Alex.

#### Subfamily Limoniinae Tribe Limoniini

Limonia sp.

\*Limonia (Limonia) rara (O. S.)

\*Limonia (Dicranomyia) distans (O. S.)

\*Limonia (Dicranomyia) floridana (O. S.)

Limonia (Dicranomyia) liberta (O. S.)

Limonia (Rhipidia) domestica (O. S.)

\*Limonia (Geranomyia) rostrata (Say)

Limonia (Geranomyia) vanduzeei (Alex.)

\*Helius (Helius) flovipes (Macquart)

#### Tribe Hexatomini

Pseudolimnophila (Pseudolimnophila) luteipennis (O. S.)

#### Tribe Eriopterini

\*Gonomyia (Lipophleps) puer Alex.

\*Gonomyia (Lipophleps) sulphurella Osten Sacken

Erioptera sp.

Erioptera (Symplecia) cana (Walker)

Erioptera (Erioptera) furcifer Alex.

Erioptera (Ilisia) graphica O. S.

Erioptera (Mesocyphona) knabi Alex.

\*Erioptera (Mesocyphona) parva O. S.

\*Toxorhina (Toxorhina) magna O. S.

\*New to Mississippi list — according to Alexander.

#### Coleoptera — Beetles

Alleculidae

Hymenorus sp.

Anobiidae

Ernobius sp.

Ernobius mollis (L.)

Lasioderma serricorne (Fab.)

Petalium bistriatum (Say)

Anthicidae

Anthicus sp.

Notoxus sp.

Bruchidae

Acanthoscelides obtectus (Say)

Megacerus coryphae (Oliv.)

Buprestidae

Buprestis lineata Fab.

Buprestis maculipennis Gory

Chalcophora sp.

Chalcophora georgiana (Le C.)

Chalcophora virginiensis (Drury)

Chrysobothris floricola Gory

Byrrhidae

Limnichoderus sp. or (Limnichius)

#### Cantharidae

Chauliognathus sp. Chauliognathus marginatus Fab.

#### Carabidae

Agonoderus sp. Agonoderus infuscatus (Dej.) Agonoderus lecontei Chd. Ardistamis schaumi Le C. Bembidion constrictum (Le C.) Calosoma sayi Dej. Calosoma scrutator (Fab.) Clivinia sp. Dyschirius sp. Galerita janus Fab. Harpalus pennsylvanicus De G. Harpalus viridiaenus Beauv. Oodes amaroides Dej. Oodes duodecimstriatus Chev. Oodes quartuordecimstriatus Chaud. Tachistodes testaceus (Dej.) Tetragonoderus intersectus Germ. Triliarthrus badiipennis (Hald.)

#### Cerambycidae

Acanthocinus nodosus (Fab.)
Acanthocinus obsoletus (Oliv.)
Anoplium inerme (Newm.)
Desmocerus Sp.
Eupagonius tomentosus (Hald.)
Smodicum cucujiforme (Say)
Stenodontes dasystomus Say

#### Chrysomelidae

Altica sp.
Altica litigata Fall
Altica ludoviciana Fall
Diabrotica undecimpunctata howardi Barber
Lema sp.
Oedionychus concinna (Fab.)
Systena frontalis (Fab.)

#### Cicindelidae

Cicindela dorsalis saulcyi (Guer.) Cicindela trifasciata ascendens (Le C.) Megacephala (Tetracha) carolina L.

#### Cleridae

Cymatodera undulata (Say) Necrobia rufipes (DeGeer)

#### Coccinellidae

Chilocorus bivulnerus Muls.
Coleomegilla maculata fuscilabris Muls.
Cycloneda sanguinea (L.)
Hippodamia convergens Guer.
Hyperaspis binotata Say
Naemia serialis (Melsh.)
Olla abdominalis plagiata Csy.

Cucujidae

Sylvanus bidentatus (Fab.)

Curculionidae

Brachybamus electus Germ. Hyperodes anthracinus (Dtz.) Pachylobius picivorus Germ. Perigaster cretura (Hbst.) Smicronyx sculpticollis Gsy.

Dryopidae

Pelonomus (near obscurus Le C.)

Dytiscidae

Agabus johannis Fall
Bidessus pullus pullus Le C.
Copelatus chevrolati Aubé
Hydaticus Sp.
Hydaticus bimarginatus Say
Laccophilus proximus (Say)
Thermonectus basillaris (Harris)

Elateridae

Agrypnus sp.
Alaus sp.
Alaus myops (Fab.)
Conoderus sp.
Conoderus bellus (Say)
Ischiodontus sp.

Gyrinidae

Dineutes sp.
Dineutes carolinus Le C.

Haliplidae

Peltodytes sp.
Peltodytes sexmaculatus Robts.

Helodidae

Cyphon sp. Ora sp.

Heteroceridae

Heterocerus undatus Melsh.

Historidae

Saprinus pennsylvanicus (Payk.)

#### Hydrophilidae

Ancaena limbata (F.) Berosus sp. Berosus exiguus Say Berosus infuscatus Le C. Chaetarthria pallida (Le C.) Cercyon praetextatus (Say) Enochrus hamiltoni (Horn) Enochrus ochraceus (Melsh.) Enochrus perplexus (Le C.) Enochrus pygmaeus (F.) complex Helobata striata (Brullé) Hydrobiomorpha casta (Say) Hydrochus simplex (Le C.) (Hydraenidae) Paracymus nanus (Fall) Paracymus subcupreus (Say) Tropisternus blatchleyi d'Orch. Tropisternus lateralis nimbatus Say Tropisternus mexicanus striolatus (Le C.) Tropisternus quadristriatus Horn Tropisternus striolatus Le C.

Lampyridae

Photuris pennsylvanica (DeGeer)

Melyridae

Collops nigriceps floridanus Schaeffer

Mordellidae

Mordellistena sp.

Nitidulidae

Carpophilus sp.

Noteridae

Suphisellus floridanus Blatch. Suphisellus gibbulus Crotch.

Oedemeridae

Alloxacis dorsalis (Mels.) Alloxacis pleuralis (Le C.) Oxacis sp.

Scarabaeidae

Anomala sp.

Anomala flavipennis Burm.

Aphodius sp.

Aphodius cuniculus Chev.

Aphodius lividus (Oliv.)

Aphodius ruricola Melsh.

Ataenius sp.

Ataenius alternatus Melsh.

Ataenius cylindrus Horn

Ataenius imbricatus (Melsh.)

Ataenius miamii Cartwright
Ataenius platensis (Blanch.)
Ataenius salutator Fall
Ataenius wenzelii Horn
Bothynus cuniculus (Fab.)
Bothynus gibbosus (DeGeer)
Cyclocephala immaculata (Oliv.)
Cyclocephala seditiosa (Le C.)
Diplotaxis Sp.
Dyscinetus morator (Fab.)
Phyllophaga Sp.
Phyllophaga latifrons (Le C.)
Phyllophaga prununculina (Burm.)
Pleurophorus longulus Cartwright
Psammodius bidens Horn
Trox suberosus (Fab.)

#### Scolytidae

Ips calligraphus Germ.
Ips grandicollis (Eich.)
Pityoborus comatus (Zimm.)
Xyleborus affinis (Eich.)

#### Staphylinidae

Aleochara bipustulata (L.)
Atheta virginica (Bernhaver)
Bledius sp.
Bledius analis Le C.
Bledius cordatus Say
Bledius gularis Er.
Bledius punctatissimus Le C.
Bledius turbulentus Csy.
Creophilus maxillosus (L.)
Paederus littorarius Grav.
Pinophilus parcus Le C.
Philonthus sp.

#### Tenebrionidae

Alobates pennsylvanica (DeGeer)
Alphitobius diaperinus (Panz.)
Uloma punctulata Le C.
Leichenum canaliculatum variegatum (Klug)
Phaleria longula Le C.

Hymenoptera — Bees, Wasps, Ants, et al.

Andrenidae

Perdita swenki Cwfd.

Apidae

Bombus americanorum (F.) Psithyrus variabilis (Cr.)

#### Braconidae

Apanteles Sp.
Aphaereta muscae Ashm.
Macrocentrus delicatus Cr.
Meteorus Sp.
Meteorus indagator (Riley)
Meteorus leviventris (Wesmael)
Microplitis Sp.
Phanerotoma Sp.
Phanerotoma fasciata Prov.
Rogas Sp.
Rogas stigmator (Say)

Chalcididae

Genus?

Chrysididae

Chrysis intricata Br.

Formicidae

Camponotus abdominalis floridanus (Buckley)
Camponotus nearcticus Emery
Crematogaster laeviuscula Mayr.
Dorymyrmex sp.
Dorymymex pyramieus var. flavus McCook
Formica (Neoformica) sp.
Formica pallide-fulva schaufussi Mayr.
Iridomyrmex humilis Mayr.
Iridomyrmex pruinosus (Roger)
Pheidole sp.
Pogonomyrmex badius (Latr.)
Ponera opaciceps Mayr.
Solenopsis saevissima richteri (Forel)
Tretramorium gineense (Fab.)

Halictidae Agapostemon virescens (Fab.)

Ichneumonidae

Enicospilus sp. Itoplectis conquisitor (Say)

Pompilidae

Anoplius sp. Anoplius virginiensis (Cr.)

Pteromalidae

Pteromalus sp.

Sphecidae

Bembix carolina (Fab.)
Chalybion californicum (Sauss.)
Microbembex monodonta (Say)
Miscophus americanus Fox
Nitela virginiensis Roh.
Oxybelus emarginatum Say
Sceliphron caementarium (Dru.)
<sup>1</sup> All insects listed collected by Richmond.

# Class Arachnida Araneida — Spiders

Titulicida Spinets
Theridiidae — Comb-footed Spiders Latrodectus mactans (Fab.)
Araneidae - Typical Orb-weavers  Eustala anastera (Walckender)
Argiopidae — Orb-weavers  Gasteracantha cancriformis (Linnaeus) Spiny Orb-weaver
Clubionidae — Clubionids Clubiona sp.
Lycosidae — Wolf-spiders Lycosa sp.
Attidae - Jumping Spiders Phidippus variegatus C. Koch Southern Phidippus
Micryphantidae — Micryphants Genus?
Pseudoscorpionida — Pseudoscorpions  *Pseudoscorpionidae* — False Scorpions  Genus?
Acarina — Mites and Ticks    Ixodidae — Ticks
Hydrachnidae — Water-mites Hydrachnida sp.
Trombidiidae - Harvest Mites  Eutrombicula alfreddugesi (Oudemans) Chigger, Harvest Mite
PHYLUM ECHINODERMATA  Class Holothuroidea  Synaptidae — Sea Cucumbers  Leptosynapta crassipatina H. L. Clark Sea Cucumber
Class Echnoidea Scutellidae — Sand Dollars Mellita quinquiesperforata (Leske) Keyhole Dollar
Class Asteroidea Luidiidae — Starfishes Luidia alternata (Say)
Class Ophiuroidea  Amphivridae — Brittle Stars  Amphiodia gyraspis H. L. Clark Brittle Star  Amphiodia limbata (Grubb) Brittle Star  Hemipholis elongata (Say) Elongate Brittle Star  Ophiophragmus filiograneus (Lyman) Brittle Star

## PHYLUM ENTEROPNEUSTA

PHYLUM ENTEROPNEUSIA
Balanidae - Acorn Worms
Balanoglossus sp Acorn Worm
PHYLUM CHORDATA
Subphylum Urochorda
Molgulidae — Seagrapes
Molgula manhattensis DeKay Sea Squirt, Seagrapes
Subphylum Cephalochorda
Branchiostomidae - Lancelets
Branchiostoma caribaeum Sundevall Virginia Lancelet, Amphioxus
Subphylum Craniata
Class Pisces — The Fishes
Dasyatidae - Sting Rays
<ul> <li>Dasyatis sayi (LeSueur)</li> <li>Dasyatis sabina (LeSueur)</li> <li>Say's Stingray</li> <li>Sabina Stingray</li> </ul>
Lepisosteidae — Garpikes <sup>2</sup> Lepisosteus spatula (Lacépède)
Clupeidae - Herrings
<sup>1</sup> Brevoortia patronus (Latrobe) Large Scale Gulf Menhaden <sup>1</sup> Harengula pensacolae Goode & Bean Broad Sardine, Razorbelly <sup>1</sup> Opisthonema oglinum (LeSueur) Thread Herring
Engraulidae — Anchovies
<sup>1</sup> Anchoa hepsetus (Bonnaterre) Striped Anchovy
Synodontidae — Lizard Fishes  Synodus foetens (Linnaeus) Lizardfish
Tachysuridae — Catfishes  * Bagre marinus (Mitchill)
Echelidae — Worm Eels 2/4 Myrophis punctatus Lütken
Belonidae — Needlefishes <sup>1</sup> Strongylura marina (Walbaum) Green Needlefish
Hemiramphidae — Halfbeaks  1/2/4 Hyporhamphus unifasciatus (Ranzani)
Cyprinodontidoe — Top Minnows  2/3 Cyprinodon variegatus variegatus Lacépède Pursy Pupfish  3 Fundulus dispar notti (Agassiz) Southern Starheaded Top Minnow  3 Fundulus grandis (Baird & Girard) Gulf Mummichog  1 Fundulus similis (Baird and Girard) Longnose Killifish  1 Lucania parva (Baird and Girard) Rainwater Fish  Poeciliidae — Livebearers
<sup>2</sup> Gambusia affinis (Baird and Girard) Mosquito Fish <sup>3</sup> Mollienesia latipinna LeSueur Sailfin Molly

	Syngnathidae — Pipefishes
1	Hippocampus hudsonius DeKay Northern Seahorse Syngnathus louisianae (Günther) Louisiana Pipefish Syngnathus sp.
	Moronidae — Perches
9	Roccus mississippiensis Jordan and Eigenmann White Perch
1	Rachycentridae — Cobias Rachycentron canadum (Linnaeus)
	Carangidae - Jacks
1	Carnax latus AgassizHorseeye JackTrachinotus carolinus (Linnaeus)Common PompanoTrachinotus falcatus (Linnaeus)Round PompanoOligoplites saurus (Schneider)Leather Jacket
	Gerridae - Jennys
1	Eucinostomus argenteus Baird and Girard Silver Mojarra Eucinostomus gula (Cuvier) Common Mojarra
	Otolithidae - Otolithids
1	Cynoscion nebulosus (Cuvier, Valenciennes) . Speckled Sea Trout, Spotted Weakfish
	Sciaenidae - Croakers
1	Bairdiella chrysurus (Lacépède) Silver Perch, Yellowtail Larimus fasciatus Holbrook Banded Croaker Leiostomus xanthurus Lacépède Goady, Spot
1 1 2	Menticirrhus sp.Surf WhitingMenticirrhus litoralis (Holbrook)Surf WhitingMenticirrhus focaliger GinsburgGulf WhitingMicropogen undulatus (Linnaeus)CroakerPogonias cromis (Linnaeus)Black DrumSciaenops ocellata (Linnaeus)Redfish
	Sparidae — Porgies
2	Archosargus probatocephalus (Walbaum) Sheepshead Lagodon rhomboides (Linnaeus) Pinfish
	Dactyloscopidae - Sand Stargazers
1	Dactyloscopus tridigitatus Gill Sand Stargazer
	Uranoscopidae
1	Astroscopus y-graecum Cuvier and Valenciennes
1	Blennjidae — Blennys Chasmodes saburrae Jordan and Gilbert Florida Blenny
1	Stromateidae — Harvest Fishes Poronotus triacanthus (Peck)
1	Sphyraenidae — Barracudas Sphyraena borealis DeKay Northern Barracuda
	Mugilidae — Mullets
1/2	Mugil cephalus Linnaeus

	Atherinidae — Silversides
1	Membras martinicus Cuvier and Valenciennes Rough Silversides Menidia beryllina (Cope) Tidewater Silversides Menidia menidia (Linnaeus) Common Silversides
	(Editorial note: We believe that this is a misidentification, but the specimen is available for examination whenever desired and we have let the author's idea stand).
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1	Triglidae — Sea Robins Prionotus evolans (Linnaeus) Longwing Searobin
2	Batrachoididae — Toadfishes Opsanus tau (Linnaeus)
1	Pleuronectidae — Flounders Citharichthys spilopterus Gunther — Bigeye Spotted Flounder Paralichthys albiguttus Jordan and Gilbert Sand Flounder Paralichthys lethostigmus Jordan, Gilbert Southern Large Flounder
2	Ostraciidae — Trunkfishes Lactophrys tricornis (Linnaeus) Three-spined Cowfish
1	Cynoglossidae — Tonguefishes Symphurus plagiusa (Linnaeus) Oblique Tonguefish
	Diodontidae - Porcupine Fishes
1 2 3	Chilomycterus schoepfi (Walbaum)
	Class Amphibia — The Frogs, Toads, Salamanders
1	Bufonidae — Toads
	Bufo terrestris Bonnaterre Southern Toad
1	Hylidae — Tree Frogs  Acris gryllus gryllus Le C
	Class Reptilia — The Reptiles Loricata
,	Crocodilidae —Alligators and Crocodiles  Alligator mississippiensis (Daudin) Alligator
1 (	Squamata Sauria — Lizards Anguidae — Lizards Ophisaurus ventralis (Linnaeus) Eastern Glass Lizard
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1	lguanidae — Iguanas Anolis carolinensis Voigt Chameleon, Tree Lizard

Teiidae — Teiids
' Cnemidophorus sexlineatus (Linnaeus) Six-lined Racerunner, Sand Lizard
Scincidae — Skinks
Eumeces fasciatus (Linnaeus) Five-lined Skink  2 Scincella laterale (Say) Ground Lizard
Serpentes — Snakes
Colubridae — Common Harmless Snakes
Coluber constrictor constrictor Linnaeus Black Racer
Heterodon platyrhinos Latrielle Eastern Hognose Snake
Lampropeltis getulus holbrooki Stejneger Speckled King Snake
Masticophis flagellum flagellum (Shaw) Coachwhip Snake  1 Notrix clorkii (Baird and Girard) Gulf Salt-marsh Snake
Notrix cyclopion cyclopion (Dumeril and Bibron) Green Water Snake
Natrix sipedon confluens (Linnaeus) Broad-banded Water Snake
Crotalidae - Poisonous Snakes
Agkistrodon contortrix contortrix (Linnaeus) Copperhead
1/8 Agkistrodon piscivorus leucostoma (Troast) Cottonmouth
Testudinata — Turtles
Chelonidae — Sea Turtles Chelonia mydas (Linnaeus)
Cheionia mydas (Linnaeus) Green Turtie
Emydidae - Freshwater and Marsh Turtles
Malaclemys palustris (Gmel) Diamondback Terrapin  Pseudemys concinna (Le Conte) Le Conte's Terrapin, Cooter
<sup>1</sup> Reported also by Allen (1932).
<sup>2</sup> Reported by Smith and List (1955).
Class Aves — The Birds
Gaviidae
Gavia immer immer (Brünnich) Common Loon—M
Colymbidae
Podilymbus podiceps podiceps (Linnaeus) Pied-billed Grebe—W
Pelecanidae
Pelecanus erythrorhynchos Gmelin
Phalacrocoracidae
Phalacrocorax auritus auritus (Lesson) Double-crested Cormorant—W
Anhingidae
<sup>1</sup> Anhinga anhinga leucogaster (Linnaeus) Water-Turkey— V
Fregatidae
Fregata magnificens Mathews Magnificent Frigate Bird—S

# Ardeidae

	Ardeidae
1 2 2 2 2	Ardea herodias herodias (Linnaeus)  Butorides virescens virescens (Linnaeus)  Casmerodius albus egretta (Gmelin)  Egretta thula thula (Molina)  Hydranassa tricolor ruficollis (Gosse)  Moris bassana (Linnaeus)  Nyctanassa violacea violacea (Linnaeus)  Servetta Heron—P  Moris bassana (Linnaeus)  Myctanassa violacea violacea (Linnaeus)  Black-crowned Night Heron—S
	Anatidae
8 8 8 2 8 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Anas platrhynchos platyrhynchos (Linnaeus)  Anas rubripes rubripes Brewster  Black Duck—W  Branta canadensis canadensis (Linnaeus)  Chen caerulescens (Linnaeus)  Chen hyperborea hyperborea (Pallas)  Clangula hyemalis (Linnaeus)  Dafila acuta tzitzihoa (Vieillot)  Mareca americana (Gmelin)  Mergus serrator Linnaeus  Red-breasted Merganser—W  Nettion carolinense (Gmelin)  Nyroca affinis (Eyton)  Nyroca americana (Eyton)  Nyroca marila nearctica (Stejneger)  Nyroca valisineria (Wilson)  Canvas-Back—W  Querquedula discors (Linnaeus)  Black Duck—W  Black Duck—W  Canada Goose—W  Canada Goose—M  Canada Goose—W  Canada Goose—M  Canada Goose—W  Canada Goose—M  Clangula Goose  Canada Goo
	Accipitriidae
2	Circus hudsonius (Linnaeus) Marsh Hawk—W Falco peregrinus anatum Bonaparte Duck Hawk—W Falco sparverius sparverius (Linnaeus) Eastern Sparrow Hawk— S Haliaeetus leucocephalus leucocephalus (Linnaeus) S. Bald Eagle— S Pandion haliaetus carolinensis (Gmelin) Osprey— S
	Rallidae
1 1	Fulica americana americana Gmelin Coot—W Ionornis martinica (Linnaeus) Purple Gallinule— P Rallus elegans elegans Audubon King Rail— P Rallus Iongirostris saturatus Ridgway Louisiana Clapper Rail— P
	Charadriidae
1	Charadrius hiaticula semipalmatus Bonaparte Semipalm. Plover—M Charadrius melodus Ord Piping Plover—M Charadrius vociferous vociferous (Linnaeus) Killdeer—P Pagolla wilsonia wilsonia (Ord) Wilson's Plover—S Squatarola squatarola (Linnaeus) Black bellied Plover—M
	Scolopacidae
	Actitis maculoria (Linnaeus) Spotted Sandpiper—W Capella delicata (Ord) Wilson's Snipe—W Catoptrophorus semipalmatus semipalmatus (Gmelin) E. Willet—S Crocethia alba (Pallas) Sanderling—W Ereunetes maurii Cabanis Western Sandpiper—M Freunetes pusillus (Linnaeus) Semipalmated Sandpiper—M Limnodromus griseus griseus (Gmelin) Short-billed Dowitcher—M

Pelidna alpina sakhalina (Vieillot) Red-backed Sandpiper—W Pisobia melanotos (Vieillot) Pectoral Sandpiper—M Pisobia minutilla (Vieillot) Least Sandpiper M Totanus flavipes (Gmelin) Lesser Yellowlegs—M Totanus melanoleucus (Gmelin) Greater Yellowlegs—M Tringa solitaria solitaria Wilson Eastern Solitary Sandpiper—M
Laridae
Chlidonias nigra surinamensis (Gmelin) Hydroprogne caspia imperator (Coues) Larus argentatus smithsonianus Coues Herring Gull—W Larus atricilla megalopterus Bruch Larus delawarensis Ord Ring-billed Gull—W Larus philadelphia (Ord) Rynchops nigra nigra Linnaeus Sterna antilarum antillarum (Lesson) Sterna forsteri Nuttall Sterna hirundo hirundo Linnaeus Thalasseus maximus maximus Boddaert Royal Tern—V Thalasseus maximus maximus Boddaert Royal Tern—V
Columbidae
Zenaidura macroura carolinensis (Linnaeus) E. Mourning Dove-P
Cuculidae
Coccyzus americanus americanus (Linnaeus) Yellow-billed Cuckoo— S Coccyzus erythropthalmus (Wilson) Black-billed Cuckoo—M
Caprimulgidae Chordeiles minor chapmani Coues Florida Nighthawk— S
Alcedinidae
Megaceryle alcyon alcyon (Linnaeus) Eastern Belted Kingfisher— P
Picidae
Colaptes auratus Linnaeus Flicker— P Sphyrapicus varius (Linnaeus) Yellow-bellied Sapsucker—W
Tyrannidae
Myiorchus crinitus (Linnaeus)  Myiochanes virens (Linnaeus)  S. Crested Flycatcher—S  Eastern Wood Pewee—S  Sayornis phoebe (Latham)  Tryrannus tyrannus (Linnaeus)  Eastern Kingbord—S
Hirundinidae
Hirundo erythrogaster (Boddaert) Barn Swallow—M Iridoprocne bicolor (Vieillot) Tree Swallow—W
Sittidae
Sitta canadensis Linnaeus Red-breasted Nuthatch—W
Certhiidae
Carthia familiaris americana Bonaparte Brown Creeper—W
Troglodytidae
Cistothorus stellaris (Naumann) Short-billed Marsh Wren—W Thryothorus ludovicianus (Latham) Carolina Wren— P Troglodytes aedon baldwini Oberholser Ohio House Wren—W

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# Mimidae

Dumetella carotinensis (Linnaeus)
Turdidae
Hylochichla fuscescens fuscescens (Stephens)
. Sylviidae
Corthylio calendula calendula (Linnaeus) E. Ruby-crown, Kinglet—W Polioptila caerulea caerulea (Linnaeus) Blue-gray Gnatcatcher— S Regulus satrapa satrapa Lichtenstein E. Golden-crown, Kinglet—W
Motacillidae
Anthus spinoletta rubescens (Tunstall) American Pipit—W
Bombycillidae
Bombycillo cedrorum Vieillot Cedar Waxwing—W
Laniidae
Lanius Iudovicianus Iudovicianus (Linnaeus) . Loggerhead Shrike- P
Vireonidae
Vireo flavifrons (Vieillot)Yellow-throated Vireo— SVireo griseus griseus (Boddaert)White-eyed Vireo— SVireo olivaceus (Linnaeus)Red-eyed Vireo— S
Compsothlypidae
Compsothlypis americana (Linnaeus) Parula Warbler—M Dendroica aestiva (Gmelin) Yellow Warbler—M Dendroica castanea (Wilson) Bay-breasted Warbler—M Dendroica coronata (Linnaeus) Myrtle Warbler—W Dendroica discolor discolor (Vieillot) Northern Prairie Warbler—M Dendroica magnolia (Wilson) Magnolia Warbler—M Dendroica palmarum hypochrysea Ridgway Yel. Palm Warbler—W Dendroica pinus pinus (Wilson) Northern Pine Warbler—P Dendroica striata (Forster) Black-poll Warbler—M Dendroica virens virens (Gmelin) Black-throated Green Warbler—M Geothlypis trichas (Linnaeus) Yellow-throat—P Mniotilta varia (Linnaeus) Black-and-white Warbler—M
Protonotaria citrea (Boddaert) Protonotary Warbler—M Seiurus auricapillus (Linnaeus) Ovenbird—M Seiurus noveboracensis noveboracensis (Gmelin) N. Water-thrush—M Setophaga ruticilla tricolora (Linnaeus) American Redstart—M
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### Fringillidae

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Ammospiza martima howelli (Griscom, Nichols) Howell's Sparrow—P  Junco hyemalis hyemalis (Linnacus) Slate-colored Junco—W  Melospiza georgiana (Latham) Swamp Sparrow—W  Melospiza melodia (Wilson) Song Sparrow—W  Passerina cyanea (Linnaeus) Indigo Bunting—M  Spizella pusilla pusilla (Wilson) Eastern Field Sparrow—W
P — Permanent resident. S — Summer resident. V — Summer visitant. W — Winter resident M — Migrant.
<ul> <li>Additions to Burleigh and Pessin List of 1941 by Richmond (this paper).</li> <li>Additions to Burleigh and Pessin List of 1941 by John R. Walther (unpublished).</li> </ul>
Class Mammalia — The Mammals
Delphinidae — Dolphins and Porpoises  Tursiops truncatus (Montague) Atlantic Bottle-nosed Dolphin
Leporidae – Hares and Rabbits
Sylvilagus aquaticus littoralis Nelson Coast Swamp Rabbit Sylvilagus floridanus mallurus (Thomas) Eastern Cottontail
MuridaeRats
Mus norvegicus norvegicus (Erxleben) Norway, Common, Brown Rat
Procyonidae - Raccoons
Procyon lotor varius Nelson & Goldman Raccoon
FLORA
Pinaceae
Pinus Elliottii Engelm. Slash Pine, Swamp Pine Pinus clausa (Engelm.) Vasey Spruce-Pine, Sand-Pine
Typhaceae
Typha angustifolia L
Potomogetonaceae
Ruppia maritima L Ditch-grass
Alismataceae
Alisma subcordatum Raf. Waterplantain Sagittaria mohrii Sm. J. G. Arrowhead
Hydrocharitaceae
Thalassia testudinum Koenig+Sims Turtle-grass Halophila engelmannii Ascher Tape-grass

### Gramineae

2 3	Andropogon glomeratus (Walt.) B. S. P. Broom-grass Aristida longespica Poir. Three-awn Grass Cenchrus incertus M. A. Curtis Southern Sandbur, Burr-grass Chloris petraea Swartz Finger-grass Digitaria serotina (Walt.) Michx. Echinochloa Walteri (Pursh) Nash Walter's Echinochloa
3/1	Eragrostis Elliottii S. Wats. Love-grass Panicum amarum Ell.
3	Panicum crus-galli L Barnyard-grass
3/1	Panicum nitidum Lam. Panic-grass
	Panicum oligosanthes Schultes Panic-grass Panicum repens L
1	Panicom tenerum Beyr. Panic-grass
2	Paspalum floridanum Michx. Florida Paspalum
3	Paspalum membraceum Walt Walter's Paspalum
	Paspalum setaceum longependunculatum (LeConte) . Long-peduncled Paspalum
1	Paspalum vaginatum Swartz Salt Joint-grass
	Setaria glauca (L.) Beauv. Glaucous Foxtail
_	Setaria magna Griseb. Giant Foxtail Spartina alterniflora Loisel. Saltmarsh Cord Grass
	Spartina patens monogyna (M. A. Curtis) Fern. White-rush
3/1	Sporobolus vaginiflorus (Torr.) Wood Drop-seed, Poverty Grass
	Sporobolus virginicus (L.) Kunth Virginia Rush-grass
	Uniola paniculata L. Sea Oats
	Cumarana (Cadraa)
	Cyperaceae (Sedges)
3/1	Pull adults attention (FII) C Mohr Ciliato larged Codes
2 1 3 3	Bulbostylis ciliatifolia (Ell.) C. Mohr. Ciliate-leaved Sedge Cyperus Haspan L. Haspan Sedge. Sheathed Cyperus Cyperus Lecontei Torr. Golden Sedge Dichromena colorata (L.) Hitchc. White-tuft, Star-rush Eleocharis albida Torr. Spike-rush Eleocharis cellulosa Torr. Cellular Spikerush
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Liliaceae
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Iridaceae
Sisyrinchium sp
Sisylinchion sp Dide-eyed Glass
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Spiranthes sp. Ladies'-Tresses
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Myrica cerifera L Wax-myrtle, Candleberry
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Drosera capillaris Poir. Pink-sundew
Rosaceae
Rosa sp. Wild Rose Rubus trivialis Michx. Southern Dewberry
Chamaecrista littoralis Pollard Sensitive Pea Crotalaria Purshii D. C. Pursh's Rattlebox Crotalaria sagittalis L. Arrowhead Rattlebox Desmodium tenuifolium (T. & G.) Ktze. Tick-trefoil Indigofera caroliniana Mill. Carolina Indigo Sesban emerus (Aubl.) Britton & Wilson Sesban
Meliaceae
Melia azedarach L China-berry, China-tree
Euphorbiaceae Croton punctatus Jacq Silver-leaf Croton, Beach Tea
Empetraceae
<sup>3</sup> Ceratiola ericoides Michx Rosemary, Heather-like Ceratiola
Anacardiaceae
Rhus copallina L. Dwarf Sumac  Toxicodendron Toxicodendron (L.) Britton Poison Ivy
Aquifoliaceae
* Ilex vomitaria Ait
<sup>1</sup> Hibiscus moscheutos L Swamp Marsh-mallow
Guttiferae
Sarothra gentianoides L. Pineweed, Orange-grass, StJohns-wort
Cistaceae Lechea minor L. Pinweed, Thyme-leaved Lechea  1/3 Lechea Torreyi Leggett
Violaceae
Viola primulaefolia L Primrose-leaved Violet
Cactaceae  1 Opuntia drummondii Graham Drummond's Prickly Pear Opuntia humifusa Raf Rafinewque's Prickly Pear
Elaeagnaceae Elaegnus multiflorus Thunb Japanese Cherry
Lythraceae  3/1 Lythrum lineare L Linear-leaved Loosestrife
Melastomataceae
Rhexia cubensis Griseb Meadowbeauty  * Rhexia mariana L Maryland Meadowbeauty
Onagraceae  2 Ludvigia maritima Harper Evening Primrose

Haloragidaceae		
Myriophyllum proserpinacoides Gill Parrott's Feather		
Umbelliferae		
Hydrocotyle Bonariensis Lam Pennywort		
Ericaceae		
Vaccinium sp		
Primulaceae		
Anagallis arvensis L Common Pimpernel		
Loganiaceae		
Polypremum procumbens L Procumbent Polypremum		
Gentianaceae		
Sabatia stellaria Pursh Sea-pink, Marsh-pink <sup>2</sup> Sabatia stellaris Pursh forma albiflora Britt White Flowered  Marsh-pink		
Asclepiadaceae		
* Asclepias humistrata Walt		
Convolulaceae		
Cuscuta sp. Dodder, Love Vine Ipomoea Pes-Caprae (L.) Sweet Railroad Vine Ipomoea stolonifera (Cyril.) Poir. Seaside Morning-glory		
Polemoniaceae		
Gilia rubra (L.) Heller Spanish-larkspur, Standing-cypress		
Verbenaceae		
Lippia nodiflora Michx Capeweed, Spatulate-leaved Frog Fruit		
Solanaceae		
3/1 Physalis angustifolia Nutt Narrow-leaf Seaside Groundcherry		
Scrophulariaceae		
Bacopa Monnieri (L.) Pennell Monnier's Waterhyssop  * Sophronanthe (Gratiola) hispida Benth. Rough Hedgehyssop		
Bignoniaceae		
<sup>1</sup> Bignonia radicans L Trumpetcreeper		
Rubiaceae		
Cephalanthus occidentalis L. Buttonbush, Button Willow Diodia teres Walt. Buttonweed, Purple Button Flower Oldenlandia fasciculata (Bertol.) Small Oldenlandia		

#### Compositae

	Actinospermum angustifolium (Pursh) T. & G
	Chondrophora nudata (Michx.) Britton Rayless Goldenrod
	Chrysoma pauciflosculosa (Michx.) Greene
	Few-flowered Goldenrod
	Chrysopsis scabrella T & G. Beach Golden Aster
	Eclipta alba (L.) Hassk. Yerba-de-Tago, White Flowered Eclipta
2	Eupatorium recurvans Small Recurring Eupatorium
	Heterotheca subaxillaris (Lam.) Britt & Rusby Camphorweed
	Iva frutescens L. Shrubby Marsh-elder
	Ivo imbricato Walt Seaside Marsh-elder
	(Collected by Schuster, R. M., 1951)
	Krigia virginica (L.) Willd Dwarf-Dandelion
	Mikania scandens (L.) Climbing Hempweed
3	Pluchea camphorata (L.) DC Saltmarsh Fleabane
	Pluchea foetida (L.) DC Viscid Pluchea
1	Solidago sempervirens mexicana (L.) Fern. Seaside Goldenrod
	nts listed by Pessin and Burleigh (1941)

<sup>1</sup> Plants listed by Pessin and Burleigh (1941).

Plants collected by Channell (1951-60).
 Plants listed by Lowe (1921).

Unnumbered species collected by Richmond (1944-1961), and deposited in the Bailey Hortorium at Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.

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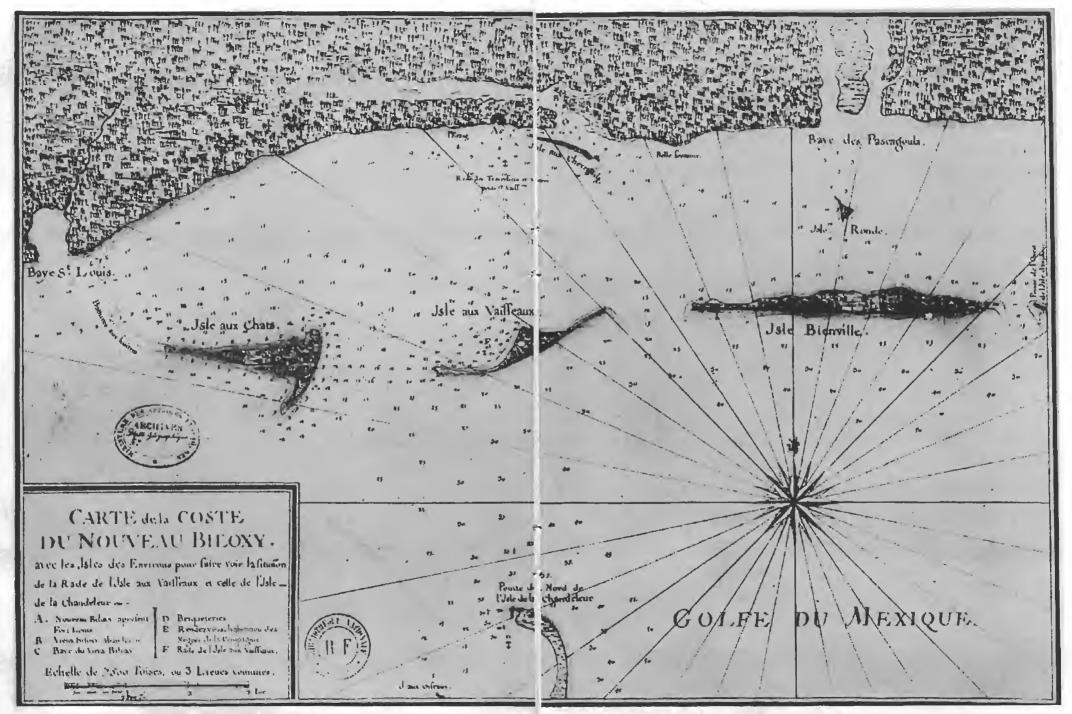
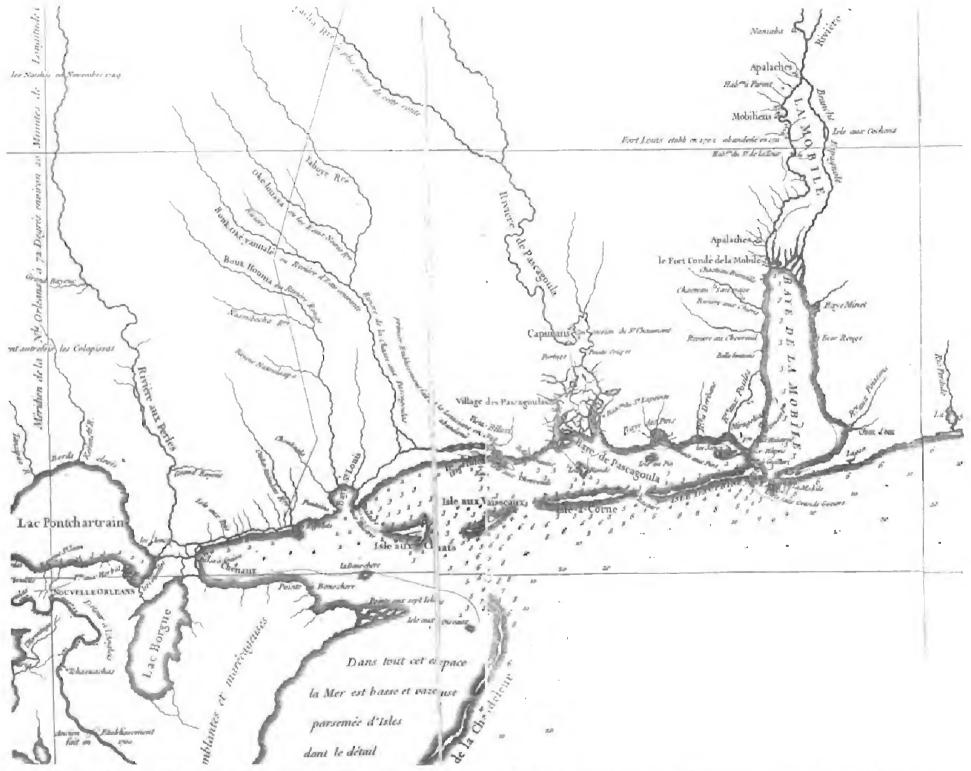


Fig. 1. 1-A. Carte de la Coste du Nouveau Biloxi avec les Isles des Environs pour faire voir la situation de la Rade de L'Isle aux Vaisseaux et celle de L'Isle-de la Chandeleur. A. Nouveau Biloxi à present Fort Louis; B. Vieux Biloxi abbandonné; C. Baye du Vieux Biloxi; D. Briqueteries; E. Rendezvous habitation

des - Negres de la Compagnie; F. Rade de l'Isle aux Vaisseaux; Echelle de 7500 Toises, ou 3 Lieues' Communes—1 inch obaut 73¼ miles—Map Div. March 29, 1927 (Library of Congress); J. aux Oiseaux.



1-B. Partion of Jean Boptiste Bourguignan d'Anville's "Carte de la Louisiane dressée in Mai 1732, publiée en 1752." (Original in the Library of Congress).

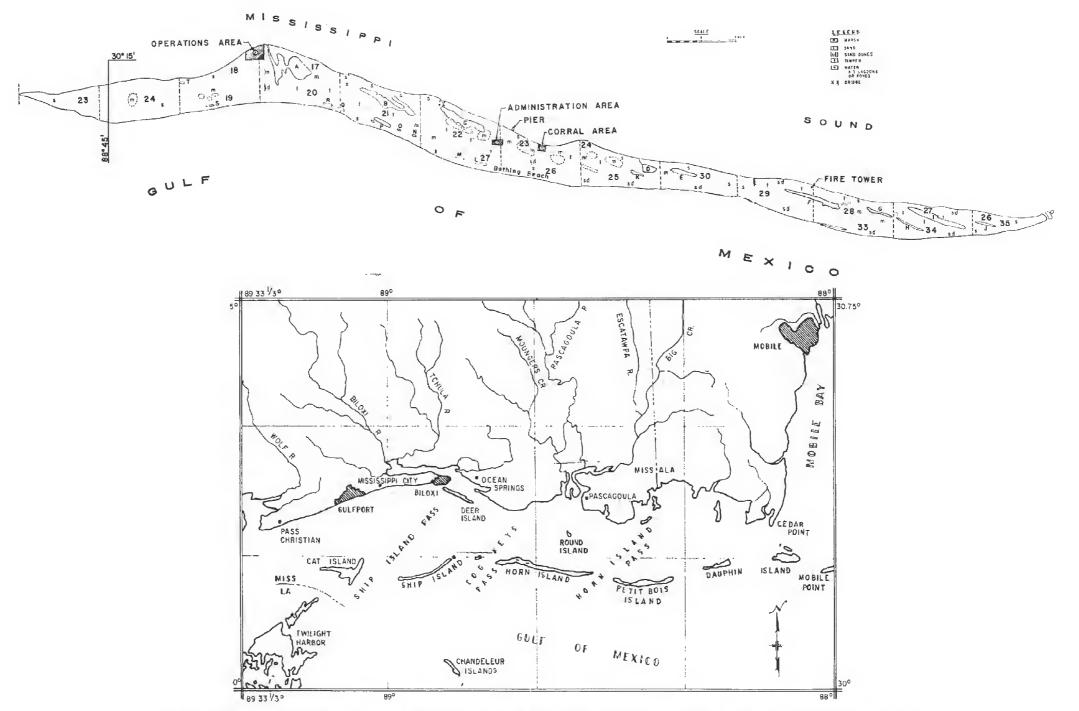


Fig. 2. Horn Island map in detail (1944) with an insert showing the relationship of the island to the mainland and to the other barrier islands of the Sound. The insert is a portion of a strategic map of the War Department, Carps of Engineers, U. S. Army (Mobile Sheet); Army Map Service, Washington, D. C.; No. 100, 393, 1940 (1st Edition - AMS 1), Works Projects Administration Project. Main map adapted by Richmond from a topographic map, Edition 1942, Surveyed by J. A. McKeon in 1941. United States Dept. of the Interior, Geological Survey, Miss. (Jackson Co.), Horn Island Quadrangle (15 minute series). The numbers refer to a section or one square mile (640 acres). The section numbers referred to in the descriptions of the photographs designate the numbers used in Fig. 2.

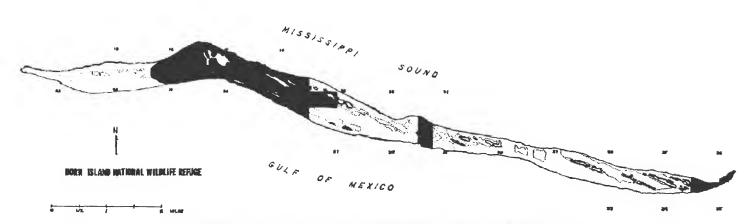


Fig. 3. Horn Island map showing the "Horn Island National Wildlife Refuge" and private property areas. Private property shown in black and the Refuge in white. However, ponds within the black areas are white and are owned privately. (Courtesy of John R. Walther).



Fig. 4. Sound shoreline near the "Horseshoe" from a trawler (Hermes).



Fig. 5. Treeline on the Sound side. Close-up of a portion of Fig. 4.



Fig. 6. Gulf shore west along bathing beach.



Fig. 7. Gulf shore east along bathing beach.



Fig. 8. Gulf shore looking west from bathing beach showing some tall sea oats.

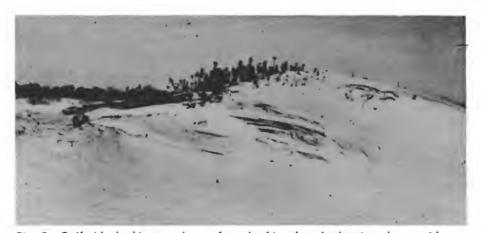


Fig. 9. Gulf side looking northwest from bathing beach showing dunes with sea oats in rear to the left.

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Fig. 10. Young slash pine (Pinus Elliottii Engelm.) just north of bathing beach.



Fig. 12. A portion of the north side of Lagoon C showing a stand of Juncus roemerianus Scheele and broomgrass. Oysters can be seen in the center of this photograph.



Fig. 20. Typical swamp in the center of the island filled with black rushes, broomgrass, and cattails.



Fig. 11. Rosemary (Ceratiola ericoides Michx.) just north of bathing beach.



Fig. 13. The narrow-leaved cattail (Typha angustifolia L.) borders the southern side of Lagoon C just to the north of the pine grove.



Fig. 14. Lagoon A looking to the north to the Sound.



Fig. 15. North of the bathing beach where several species of shore birds nest.



Fig. 16. Lagoon D bordered with black rushes.



Fig. 17. Marshy ponds M and S looking southeast from the western part of the island. Black rushes abound.



Fig. 18. Swampy area amongst pine timber in the center of the island.



Fig. 19. Swampy hole near the center of the island.



Fig. 21. Clump of live oaks (Quercus virginiana geminata Sargent) with scattered slash pines. Palmettos in the foreground. About two miles from the east end close to the Sound.



Fig. 22. Same area as Fig. 21 but close-up photograph.



Fig. 23. Pine grove looking east from the administration area.



Fig. 24. Similar view of Fig. 23 after a heavy rain.



Fig. 25. Swampy land near Section 26.



Fig. 26. Rosemary shrubs (center of photograph) with scattered clumps of small groundsell plants (Baccharis halimifolia L.) throughout. Section 25 area.



Fig. 27. Close-up of the cottonmouth (Agkistrodon piscivorus (Troast). Marsh near Section 24.